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1992 Rank	
1	**THE FALL** Code: Selfish (Cog Sinister) LP
2	**EUGENIUS** Oomalama (Atlantic) CD
3	**MEGA CITY FOUR** Sebastopol Rd. (Big Life) LP
4	**NICK CAVE AND THE BAD SEEDS** Henry's Dream (Mute/Elektra) CD
5	**YO LA TENGO** May I Sing with Me (Alias) LP
6	**PAVEMENT** Slanted and Enchanted (Matador) LP
7	**TELEVISION** Television (Capitol) LP
8	**INSPIRAL CARPETS** Revenge of the Goldfish (Mute/Elektra) CD
9	**CHUMBAWAMBA** Shhh (Agit Prop) LP
10	**DAISY CHAINSAW** Eleventeen (A&M) CD
11	**UTAH SAINTS** Something Good (London) CD
12	**RAMONES** Mondo Bizarro (Radioactive) LP
13	**RIDE** Going Blank Again (Sire/Reprise) LP
14	**THE FAMILY CAT** Furthest from the Sun (Dedicated) LP
15	**THE JESUS AND MARY CHAIN** Honey's Dead (Def American) CD
16	**SUGAR** Copper Blue (Rykodisc) CD
17	**THE JAM** Extras (Polydor) LP
18	**THE CHARLATANS UK** Between 10th and 11th (Beggars Banquet/RCA) LP
19	**MANIFESTO** Manifesto (Fire) LP
20	**OVERWHELMING COLORFAST** Overwhelming Colorfast (Relativity) CD
21	**CATHERINE WHEEL** Ferment (Fontana) CD
22	**BAD RELIGION** Generator (Epitaph) LP
23	**BRIAN ENO** Nerve Net (Opal/WarnerBros.) CD
24	**A HOUSE** I Am The Greatest (Radioactive) CD
25	**SOUL ASYLUM** Grave Dancers Union (Columbia) CD
26	**THE CURE** Wish (Elektra) CD
27	**LUNA²** Lunapark (Elektra) CD
28	**VARIOUS ARTISTS** Singles - Original Motion Picture Soundtrack (Epic Soundtrax) CD
29	**DIE TOTEN HOSEN** Learning English Lesson 1 (Charisma) CD
30	**THE UNTAMED YOUTH** Sophistcated International Playboys (Norton) LP
31	**THE FATIMA MANSIONS** Tima Mansió Dumps the Dead (Radioactive) CD
32	**KITCHENS OF DISTINCTION** The Death of Cool (A&M) CD
33	**VELOCITY GIRL** "My Forgotten Favorite" (Slumberland) 7"
34	**THE HEART THROBS** Jubilee Twist (A&M) CD
35	**THE CELIBATE RIFLES** Heaven on a Stick (Festival) LP
36	**THE NIGHTBLOOMS** The Nightblooms (Fierce) LP
37	**CARTER THE UNSTOPPABLE SEX MACHINE** 1992 The Love Album (Chrysalis UK) CD
38	**THE A-BONES** I Was A Teenage Mummy - Soundtrack (Norton) LP
39	**THE VACANT LOT** ... Because They Can (Shake) LP
40	**THE BOO RADLEYS** Everything's Alright Forever (Creation/Columbia) LP
41	**VARIOUS ARTISTS** Fun, Filth and Fury (Virgin UK) CD
42	**THE CHILLS** Soft Bomb (Slash/Reprise) CD
43	**BLEACH** Killing Time (Musidisc/Chameleon) LP
44	**THOUSAND YARD STARE** Hands On (Stifled Aardvark) LP
45	**VARIOUS ARTISTS** The Indie Scene 1980: The Story of British Independent Music (Connoiseur Collection) LP

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46 **MINISTRY** Psalm 69: The Way Succeed or the Way to Suck Eggs (Sire/Warner Bros.) CD
47 **HEAVENLY** Le Jardin de Heavenly (Sarah/K) LP
48 **STEREOLAB** Peng! (Too Pure) LP
49 **THE MONO MEN** Wrecker (Estrus) LP
50 **TOO MUCH JOY** Mutiny (Giant) CD
51 **LEMONHEADS** It's a Shame About Ray (Atlantic) CD
52 **STIGMATA-A-GO-GO** "Usual Damage" (S.O.L.) 7"
53 **JAH WOBBLE'S INVADERS OF THE HEART** Rising Above Bedlam (Atlantic) CD
54 **DRAMARAMA** The Days of Wayne and Roses (The Trash Can Tapes) (Fan Club Only) CD
55 **PALE SAINTS** In Ribbons (4AD) LP
56 **SONIC YOUTH** Dirty (DGC) CD
57 **BEASTIE BOYS** Check Your Head (Capitol) LP
58 **FRONT LINE ASSEMBLY** Tactical Neural Implant (Third Mind) CD
59 **VERTIGO** Ventriloquist (Amphetamine Reptile) LP
60 **JOHNNY THUNDERS** So Alone (Reissue) (Sire) CD
61 **VARIOUS ARTISTS** The Indie Scene 1977: The Story of British Independent Music (Connoisseur Collection) LP
62 **THE VOODOO DOLLS** "Number Two" (Stanton Park) 7"
63 **THE BROOD** Vendetta! (Estrus) CD
64 **MIDWAY STILL** Dial Square (Roughneck) LP
65 **POLVO** Cor-Crane Secret (Merge) LP
66 **TELEVISION PERSONALITIES** Closer to God (Fire) LP
67 **THE REVS** Buzz EP (Vinyl Japan) EP
68 **THE MONOCHROME SET** What A Whopper! (Richmond) LP
69 **AFGHAN WHIGS** Congregation (Sub Pop) CD
70 **BUFFALO TOM** Let Me Come Over (Beggars Banquet) LP
71 **CHRIS MARS** Horseshoes and Hand Grenades (Smash) LP
72 **CURVE** Dopplegänger (Charisma) CD
73 **TREEPEOPLE** Something Vicious for Tomorrow/Time Whores (C/Z) LP
74 **SWERVEDRIVER** "Never Lose That Feeling" (Creation) EP
75 **THE NOMADS** Sonically Speaking (Sonet) LP
76 **SHEER** Absolutely Sheer (Creation) LP
77 **TEST INFECTION** "Individuals" (Sculture) 12"
78 **SOCIAL DISTORTION** Somewhere Between Heaven and Hell (Epic) LP
79 **THE SEERS** Peace Crazies (Cherry Red) LP
80 **PHOBIA** Now Wash Your Hands EP (Flip City) EP
81 **SUPERCHUNK** Tossing Seeds (Singles 89-91) (Merge) LP
82 **MEAT BEAT MANIFESTO** Satyricon (Mute) CD
83 **KMFDM** Money (Wax Trax!) CD
84 **THEY MIGHT BE GIANTS** Apollo 18 (Elektra) CD
85 **THE MOLES** Tendrils and Paracetamol (Seaside) EP
86 **ADORABLE** "I'll Be Your Saint" (Creation) 12"
87 **THROW THAT BEAT IN THE GARBAGE CAN** Not Particularly Silly (Electrola) LP
88 **VARIOUS ARTISTS** Gothic Rock (Jungle) LP
89 **THE GORIES** Outta Here (Crypt) LP

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UNDER THE SKIN:
TELEVISION PERSONALITIES The Strangely Beautiful EP / **SENSELESS THINGS** "Hold It Down" / **WALL OF VOODOO** The Index Masters / **REVOLVER** Baby's Away / **SCREAMING TREES** Sweet Oblivion / **THE FIRECHARMERS** The Rainbow E.P. / **THE MEANIES** Come 'n' See / **THE WOLFGANG PRESS** "A Girl Like You" / **ADORABLE** "Sunshine Smile" / **VARIOUS ARTISTS** The Indie Scene 1979: The Story of British Independent Music / **PJ HARVEY** Dry / **POVERTY STINKS** Getting Deeper / **IN THE NURSERY** Duality / **NISI PERIOD** Soon The Love Balloon Will Pop / **BEAT HAPPENING** You Turn Me On / **GARY LUCAS GODS AND MONSTERS** Gary Lucas Gods and Monsters /**THE EMBRYO SURVEYORS** A Gray Flash / **THE REVS** "I've Got News For You"

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